# MANDATORY ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES AND REGULATIONS, AND RESOURCES

- Executive Order 13101, Greening the Government Through Waste Prevention, Recycling, and Federal Acquisition, September 1998.
   Available at Internet Address: www.ofee.gov
- 2. Section 6002, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), "Federal Procurement".

Available at Internet Address: rcra.docket@epamail.epa.gov

- 3. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 40 Section 247, "Comprehensive Procurement Guideline for Products Containing Recovered Materials". Available at Internet Address: <a href="https://www.epa.gov/opptintr/epp">www.epa.gov/opptintr/epp</a>
- 4. Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR).

Available at Internet Address: www.arnet.gov

- Part 23.4 "Use of Recovered Materials"
- Part 23.7 "Contracting for Environmentally Preferable and Energy-Efficient Products and Services"
- Part 23.8 "Ozone-depleting Substances"
- 5. Final Guidance for Environmentally Preferable Purchasing, August 20, 1999. Available at Internet Address: <a href="https://www.ofee.gov">www.ofee.gov</a>
- 6. Executive Order 12902 on Energy and Water Conservation.
  Available at Internet Address: www.eren.doe.gov/femp
- 7. Environmentally Improved Member Product Directory.

Available at Internet Address: www.ecompartners.com/atmi and the following:

American Textile Manufacture Institute

Attention: E3 Program

1801 K Street, NW, Suite 900

Washington, DC 20006 Phone: (202) 862-0500 Fax: (202) 862-0590

8. Executive Order 12969, Toxic Chemical Release Reporting, dated August 1995. Available at Internet Address: http://es.epa.gov/oeca

### 9. Environmental Preferability Resources.

Statutory/Regulatory Requirements:

### For recycled content products:

Recycled content products designated by EPA for purchase by federal Government and their contractors per statutory requirement (Section 6002 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act) are identified in the Comprehensive Procurement Guideline (40 CFR 247).

Available at Internet Address: <a href="http://www.epa.gov/cpg/">http://www.epa.gov/cpg/</a>

This requirement is passed through to contractor though citation of FAR clauses:

52.223-4 Recovered Materials Certification

52.223-9 Certification of Percentage of Recovered Material Content for EPA Designated Items Used in Performance of the Contract.

### Policies:

Executive Order 13101: "Greening the Government Through Waste Prevention, Recycling and Federal Acquisition."

Available at Internet Address: <a href="http://www.ofee.gov/">http://www.ofee.gov/</a>

Executive Order 12902 on Energy and Water Conservation Available at Internet Address: <a href="http://www.eren.doe.gov/femp">http://www.eren.doe.gov/femp</a>

Executive Order 13134, "Developing and Promoting Biobased Products and Bioenergy" "Procedures for Submission of Biobased Products for Listing by USDA," proposed rule, Federal Register, August 13, 1999.

Available at Internet Address: <a href="http://wais.acces.gpo.gov">http://wais.acces.gpo.gov</a>

Proposed biobased product categories and definition for preferential purchase by executive agencies, including:

- "New fibers/filler/yarn/insulation"
- "Plant-based plastics/degradable polymers/films"
- "Renewable Alternative Fiber Papers/Packaging"
- "Adhesives, Inks, and Coatings"

"Final Guidance on Environmentally Preferable Purchasing for Executive Agencies," August 20, 1999, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Available at Internet Address: <a href="http://www.epa.gov/opptintr/epp/">http://www.epa.gov/opptintr/epp/</a>

# 10. Textile Manufacturing Chain and Environmental Programs

Manufacturing	Association	Environmental
Process	(Point of Contact)	Programs
	FIBER	
	Natural Fibers	
Wool	American Sheep Industry Association	
	(Rita Kourlis-Samuelson)	
	6919 South Yosemite Street	
	Englewood, CO 80112	
	(303) 771-3500	
Catton	http://www.sheepusa.org	Cotton Conse Pus cusus
Cotton	Cotton Council International	Cotton Cares Program
	(Dr. Phil Wakelyn)	
	1521 New Hampshire Ave., NW	
	Washington, DC 20036 (202) 745-7805	
	www.cottonusa.org	
	FIBER	
	Synthetic Fibers	
Man-Made Fibers	American Fiber Manufacturers	The American Fiber
Wan-wade Piecis	Association	Manufacturers Association
	(Bob Barker)	(AFMA) undertook a life
	1150 17 <sup>th</sup> Street NW	cycle analysis study of a
	Suite 310	typical manufactured product
	Washington, DC 20036	and process flow - in this case,
	(202) 296-6508	for a 100% polyester fiber
	www.fibersource.com/fiber.html	(polyethylene terephthalate)
		knit fabric woman's blouse
		apparel item. The results from
		the research effort are
		described both in this
		executive summary and the
		accompanying detailed report.
		www.fibersource.com/f-
		tutor/LCA-Page.htm
	YARN	
Yarn Spinning	American Yarn Spinners Association	
	(Jim Connor)	
	2500 Lowell Road	
	Ranlo, NC 28054	
	(704) 824-3522	

	FABRIC	
Fabric	American Textile Manufacturers	<ul> <li>Encouraging</li> </ul>
(also yarn, thread,	Institute	Environmental Excellence
and some wet	(Suzanne Hough and Julie Fleming)	(E3) Program
processing)	1130 Connecticut Ave. NW	• Quest for the Best in
	Suite 1200	Safety and Health
	Washington, DC 20036	
	(202) 862-0500	
	www.ATMI.org	
Industrial Fabric	Industrial Fabrics Association	
	International	
	(Juli Case)	
	1801 Country Road BW	
	Roseville, MN 55113	
	(612) 222-2508	
	www.ifai.com	
Knitted Fabric	Knitted Textile Association	
	(Peter Adelman)	
	386 Park Avenue South	
	Suite 901	
	New York, NY 10016	
	(212) 689-3807	
	www.kta-usa.org	
Non-Woven Fabric		
	DYEING AND FINISHING	
Wet Processors	American Association of Textile	
	Chemists and Colorists	
	(Jerry Tew)	
	P.O. Box 12215	
	Research Triangle Park, NC 27709	
	(919) 549-8141	
	www.AATCC.org	

APPAREL		
pparel	American Apparel Manufacturers	WRAP Program
	Association (AAMA)	
	(Larry Martin)	
	2500 Wilson Boulevard	
	Suite 301	
	Arlington, VA 22201	
	(703) 524-1864	
	www.americanapparel.org	

Knitwear and	National Knitwear and Sportswear	
Sportswear	Association (NKSA)	
	(Seth Bodner)	
	386 Park Avenue South	
	New York, NY 10016	
	(212) 683-7520	
	www.asktmag.com	
Socks and Hosiery	National Association of Hosiery	
	Manufacturers	
	(Charles Brooks)	
	200 North Sharon Amity Road	
	Charlotte, NC 28211	
	(704) 365-0913	
	www.nahm.com	

OTHER STAKEHOLDERS		
	Chemical Suppliers	
General	Chemical Manufacturers Association (Lucinda Schofer) 1300 Wilson Boulevard Arlington, VA 22209 (703) 741-5000 <a href="http://www.cmahq.com">http://www.cmahq.com</a>	"Responsible Care" program: Described as a cultural revolution in the chemical industry, Responsible Care is the industry's premier voluntary environmental, health and safety initiative performance improvement initiative. Through Responsible Care, CMA members and Partners are committed to no accidents, injuries or harm to the environment. CMA is planning a conference April 30-May3 in Florida.
	National Paint and Coatings Association (Steve Sides) 1500 Rhode Island Ave., NW Washington, DC 20005 (202) 462-6272 http://www.paint.org	"Coating Cares" program (http://www.paint.org/cc/)
Dyestuff manufacturers	Ecological and Toxicological Association of Dyes and Organic Pigments Manufacturers (ETAD) (Dr. Tucker Helms) 1850 M Street, NW Suite 700 Washington, DC 20036 (202) 721-4100 <a href="http://www.etad.com">http://www.etad.com</a>	Dye Care
Standards Developing Organizations (SDOs)		
General	American Society for Testing and Materials (Bode Buckley) 100 Barr Harbor Drive West Conshohocken, PA 19428 (610) 832-9500 www.astm.org	

Textile Recycling Organizations		
Recycled textiles	SMART	
	Secondary Materials and Recyclable	
	Textiles	
	(Bernie Brill)	
	7910 Woodmont Avenue	
	Suite 1130	
	Bethesday, MD 20814	
	www.smartasn.org	
	<b>Educational Institutions</b>	
	Auburn University	
	(Dr. William Walsh)	
	Department of Textile Engineering	
	101 Textile Engineering Building	
	Auburn, AL 36849-5327	
	(334) 844- 5452	
	www.eng.auburn.edu/department/te	
	Clemson University	
	(Dr. Michael Drews)	
	School of Textiles, Fiber, and Polymer	
	Science	
	161 Sirene Hall	
	Clemson, SC 29634-1307	
	(864)656-3176	
	www.ces.clemson.edu/textiles	
	Georgia Institute of Technology	
	School of Textiles and Fiber Engineering	
	(Dr. Fred Cook)	
	Atlanta, GA 30332-0295	
	(404) 894-2490	
	www.tfe.gatech.edu/tfehome.html	
	North Carolina State University	
	College of Textiles	
	(Dr. Robert Barnhardt)	
	2401 Research Dr Box 8301	
	Raleigh, N.C. 27695	
	(919) 515-6500	
	www.tx.ncsu.edu	
	Philadelphia University	
	(Dr. David Brookstein)	
	School House Lane & Henry Avenue	
	Philadelphia PA 19144-5497	
	(215) 951-2700	
	www.philacol.edu/pchome.html	

University of Massachusetts	
Department of Textile Sciences	
(Steven B. Warner, Sc.D.)	
285 Old Westport Rd.	
Dartmouth, MA 02747	
(508) 999-8448	
www.umassd.edu/1academic/cengineerin	
g/textiles/welcome.htm	

# 11. Websites with Lists of Recycled-Content Product Manufactures

State of Pennsylvania

Available at Internet Address: <a href="http://www.prc.org/guide">http://www.prc.org/guide</a>

State of California

Available at Internet Address: <a href="http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/RCP/">http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/RCP/</a>